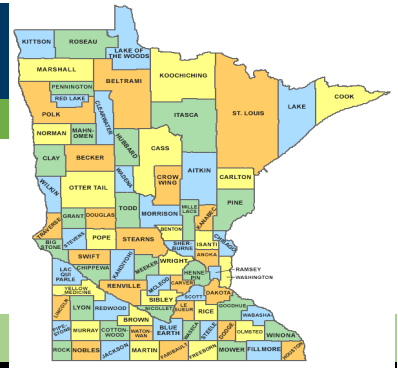


COUNTY PROFILE

Dakota Co.

Dakota Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 11, which is located in the Twin Cities Planning Region.



POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

2022 population:	443,341 people
Population change, 2010-2022	44,789 people 11.2% increase

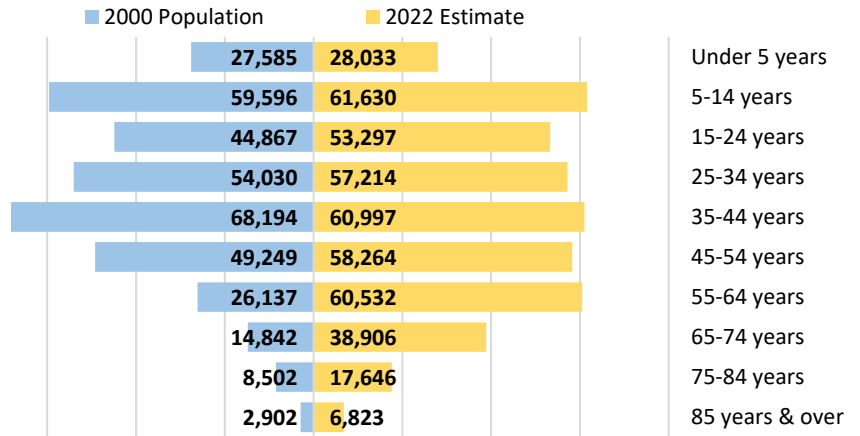
Median Age:	38.1 years
state:	38.3 years

Dakota Co. is the 3rd largest of the 87 counties in the state. Its population increased over the past decade, ranking as the 10th fastest growing in the state from 2010 to 2022. Dakota Co.'s population has a younger median age than the state and a smaller percentage of people aged 65 years and older. The population is aging, especially as the Baby Boom generation moves through the population pyramid (see Figure 1).

	Number	Percent
Under 5 years	28,033	6.3%
5-14 years	61,630	13.9%
15-24 years	53,297	12.0%
25-34 years	57,214	12.9%
35-44 years	60,997	13.8%
45-54 years	58,264	13.1%
55-64 years	60,532	13.7%
65-74 years	38,906	8.8%
75-84 years	17,646	4.0%
85 years & over	6,823	1.5%
Total Population	443,341	100.0%

Source: Census Population Estimates, 2017-2021 ACS

Figure 1. Population Pyramid, 2000-2022



Dakota Co. enjoyed a natural increase - more births than deaths from 2020 to 2022, but also experienced net out-migration - meaning more people moved out than moved in. Despite suffering domestic out-migration, Dakota Co. welcomed net international in-migration - gaining new Minnesotans from foreign countries (see Table 2).

	Total Population Change	April 1, 2020 to July 1, 2022					
		Natural Increase	Vital Events		Net Migration		
			Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic
Dakota Co.	3,457	3,903	11,181	7,278	-823	1,305	-2,128
State of Minnesota	10,680	26,917	144,350	117,433	-17,365	20,012	-37,377

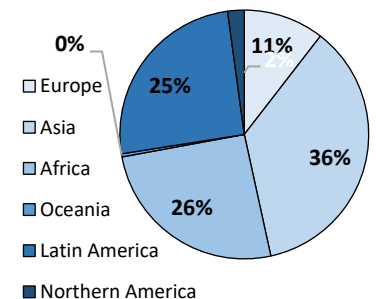
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Dakota Co. has a larger percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2021, Dakota Co. saw an increase in the number of foreign-born residents, which was faster than the statewide increase.

	Dakota Co.		Change 2010-2021		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change
Foreign-born Population	42,249	9.7%	11,291	36.5%	8.5%	30.6%
Europe	4,430	10.5%	281	6.8%	9.4%	0.3%
Asia	15,248	36.1%	3,467	29.4%	37.0%	30.2%
Africa	10,785	25.5%	5,355	98.6%	27.8%	89.8%
Oceania	173	0.4%	106	158.2%	0.4%	17.8%
Americas:	11,613	27.5%	2,082	21.8%	25.4%	6.8%
Latin America	10,704	25.3%	2,580	31.8%	23.0%	8.5%
Northern America	909	2.2%	-498	-35.4%	2.5%	-6.7%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2017-2021 American Community Survey

Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population, 2021



Dakota Co.'s population was becoming more racially diverse over time. Since 2011, the county's white population increased and the number of people of other races increased (see Table 4).

Figure 3. Population by Race, 2021

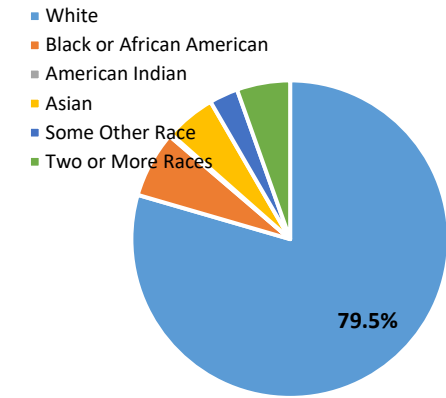


Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2021	Dakota Co.			Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Change from 2011-2021	Percent	Change from 2011-2021
Total	435,863	100.0%	9.9%	100.0%	7.4%
White	346,508	79.5%	1.8%	80.7%	0.4%
Black or African American	29,461	6.8%	63.0%	6.6%	42.2%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,084	0.2%	-37.4%	0.9%	-8.0%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	22,372	5.1%	27.5%	5.0%	35.8%
Some Other Race	12,766	2.9%	46.5%	2.1%	66.5%
Two or More Races	23,672	5.4%	138.0%	4.6%	121.8%
Hispanic or Latino origin	32,737	7.5%	43.2%	5.6%	31.6%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2017-2021 American Community Survey

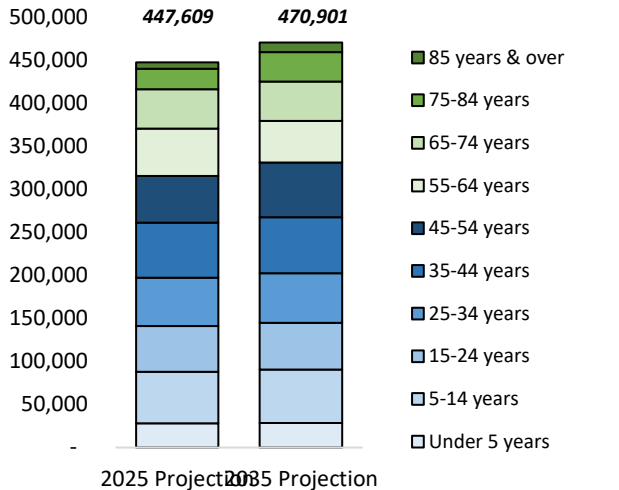
POPULATION PROJECTIONS

According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Dakota Co.'s population is expected to grow from 2025 to 2035, with a rate of change that is faster than the projected statewide growth rate (4.5%). In addition to the overall growth, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to increase over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2025-2035				
Dakota Co.	2025 Projection	2035 Projection	Numeric Change	Percent Change
Under 5 years	28,038	28,636	598	2.1%
5-14 years	59,851	61,876	2,025	3.4%
15-24 years	53,389	54,544	1,155	2.2%
25-34 years	55,956	57,628	1,672	3.0%
35-44 years	64,022	64,912	890	1.4%
45-54 years	54,497	63,777	9,280	17.0%
55-64 years	54,984	48,395	-6,589	-12.0%
65-74 years	45,752	45,634	-118	-0.3%
75-84 years	23,781	34,306	10,525	44.3%
85 years & over	7,339	11,193	3,854	52.5%
Total Population	447,609	470,901	23,292	5.2%

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

Figure 4. Projections by Age Group, 2025-2035



EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Dakota Co. has a higher percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (92.8%), and a higher percentage of people with at least some college experience. Dakota Co. also has a higher percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a higher percentage of people with a Bachelor's degree or higher.

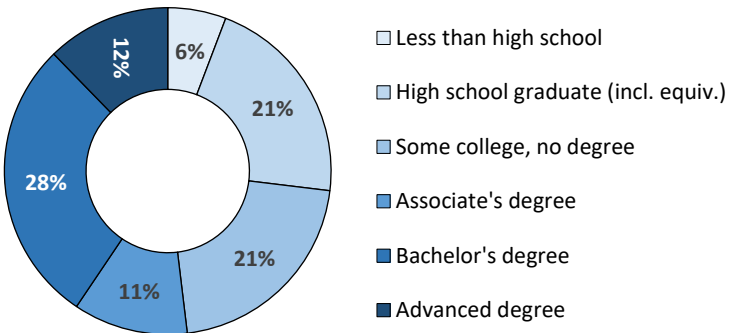
Percentage of the adult population (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma:

94.2%

College-educated: 73.1%
state: 68.0%

Associate's Degree: 11.3%
Bachelor's Degree: 28.3%
Advanced Degree: 12.3%

Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2021



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2017-2021 American Community Survey

LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 2.4%, Dakota Co. had a lower unemployment rate than the state in 2022. After the pandemic recession Dakota Co.'s unemployment rate decreased compared to 6.3% in 2020, and declined compared to the 3.1% pre-pandemic rate posted in 2019. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Dakota Co. declined over the past year, and is down compared to 2019.

241,932 available workers

Labor Force change,
2007-2022

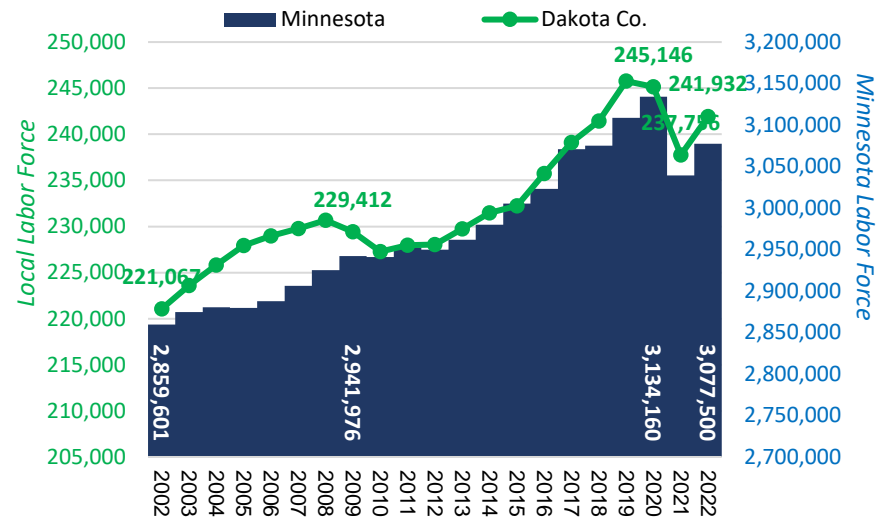
12,163 workers
5.3% increase

2.4% unemployment rate

2.7% state

5,806 unemployed workers

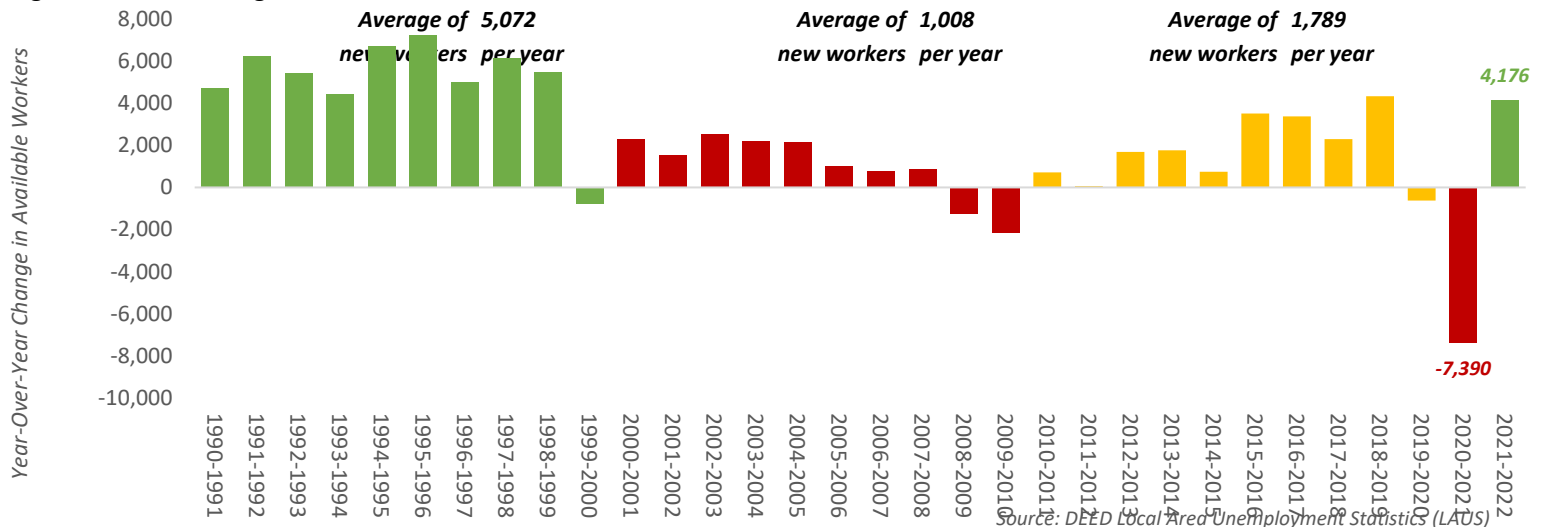
Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of 5072.2 workers each year from 1990 to 2000, Dakota Co. averaged an annual gain of 1007.6 new workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a gain of 1788.7 new workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Dakota Co. is expected to add workers from 2025 to 2035 (see Table 6).

Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2022



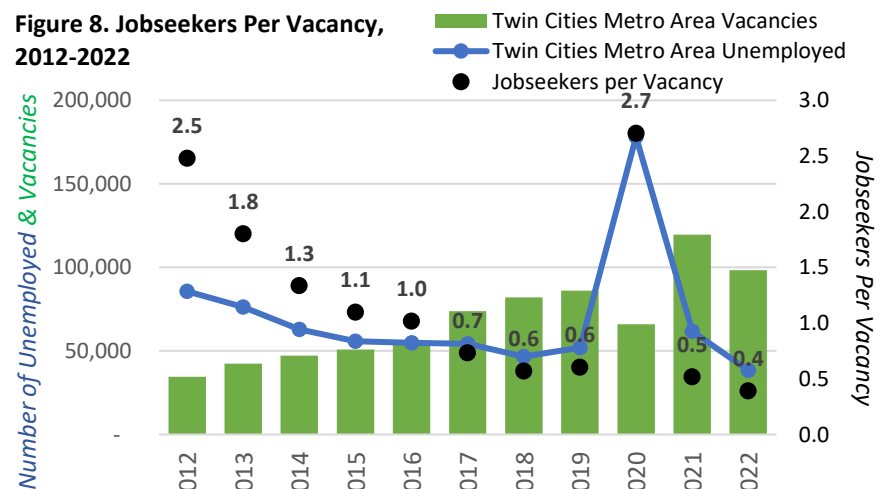
Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

Table 6. Labor Force Projections, 2025-2035	Labor Force Projection	
	2025	2035
16 to 24 years	33,250	34,271
25 to 54 years	158,101	168,838
55 to 64 years	42,458	37,370
65 years & over	15,106	15,964
Total Labor Force	248,914	256,442

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center, 2017-2021 ACS

The labor market had grown extremely tight in recent years, with less than 1 jobseeker per vacancy until the pandemic recession intervened in early 2020 and the number of unemployed workers spiked. Job vacancies in Twin Cities reached new highs in the 4th quarter of 2021, quickly bringing back challenges in finding new workers and 2022 showed the lowest jobseeker-per-vacancy ratio on record (see Figure 8).

Figure 8. Jobseekers Per Vacancy, 2012-2022



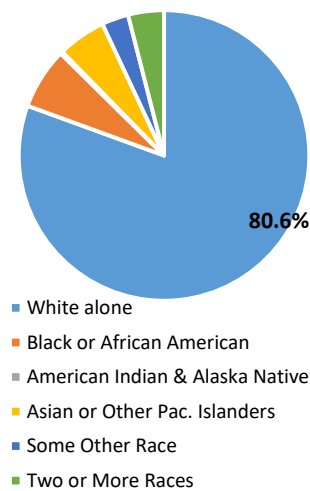
Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, LAUS program

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Dakota Co. had a higher labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Dakota Co. is more racially diverse than the state (where 82.6% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2021							
	Dakota Co.			Minnesota		Labor Force by Gender	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
Total Labor Force	247,853	72.7%	4.0%	69.2%	4.0%	128,845	119,062
16 to 19 years	11,736	55.2%	11.0%	52.3%	10.7%	5,937	5,796
20 to 24 years	20,478	84.1%	6.6%	83.3%	6.7%	10,349	10,133
25 to 44 years	105,265	90.6%	3.5%	88.8%	3.6%	55,222	50,049
45 to 54 years	51,954	90.7%	2.4%	87.6%	3.0%	26,863	25,090
55 to 64 years	45,953	77.2%	3.8%	73.1%	3.2%	23,797	22,173
65 to 74 years	11,016	28.8%	3.8%	28.0%	3.2%	5,820	5,192
75 years & over	1,491	6.2%	0.8%	6.6%	2.9%	857	629
Employment Characteristics by Race & Hispanic Origin							
White alone	199,756	71.3%	3.3%	68.5%	3.4%		
Black or African American	16,953	82.4%	7.5%	71.9%	8.6%		
American Indian & Alaska Native	651	71.9%	1.5%	57.4%	12.9%		
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	13,320	77.0%	5.1%	72.7%	4.1%		
Some Other Race	7,400	81.4%	5.0%	75.8%	6.2%		
Two or More Races	9,884	76.7%	9.5%	74.1%	7.3%		
Hispanic or Latino	17,076	77.8%	7.1%	77.0%	6.6%		
Employment Characteristics by Disability							
With Any Disability	11,420	56.5%	11.7%	53.6%	9.9%		
Employment Characteristics by Educational Attainment							
Population, 25 to 64 years	203,184	87.2%	3.3%	84.4%	3.4%		
Less than H.S. Diploma	8,590	77.0%	4.3%	66.6%	4.6%		
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	33,224	80.4%	2.5%	77.3%	2.5%		
Some College or Assoc. Degree	65,296	87.3%	3.8%	85.1%	3.6%		
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	96,113	90.9%	2.1%	90.3%	2.1%		

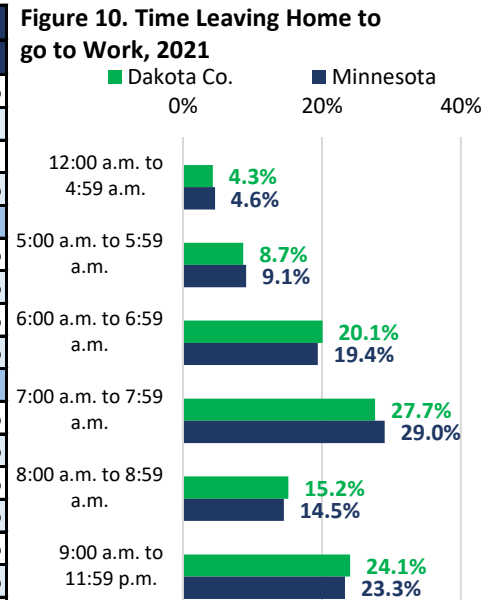
Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2021



Source: 2017-2021 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

A smaller percentage of workers in Dakota Co. worked in the same county in which they live compared to the state. Dakota Co. also had a longer average commute time than the state.

Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2021		Dakota Co.		Minnesota	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Worked in state of residence		231,314	98.9%	2,858,636	97.7%
Worked in county of residence		122,791	52.5%	1,922,337	65.7%
Worked out of county of residence		108,524	46.4%	933,372	31.9%
Worked outside state of residence		2,573	1.1%	67,296	2.3%
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK					
Car, truck, or van		193,425	82.7%	2,387,561	81.6%
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)		6,081	2.6%	81,926	2.8%
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)		5,146	2.2%	122,889	4.2%
Worked at home		29,002	12.4%	333,556	11.4%
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK					
Less than 10 minutes		27,599	11.8%	465,223	15.9%
10 to 19 minutes		63,617	27.2%	895,335	30.6%
20 to 29 minutes		57,068	24.4%	649,557	22.2%
30 to 44 minutes		58,472	25.0%	567,631	19.4%
45 to 59 minutes		17,308	7.4%	190,186	6.5%
60 or more minutes		10,057	4.3%	158,000	5.4%
Mean travel time to work (minutes)		24.9 minutes		23.5 minutes	



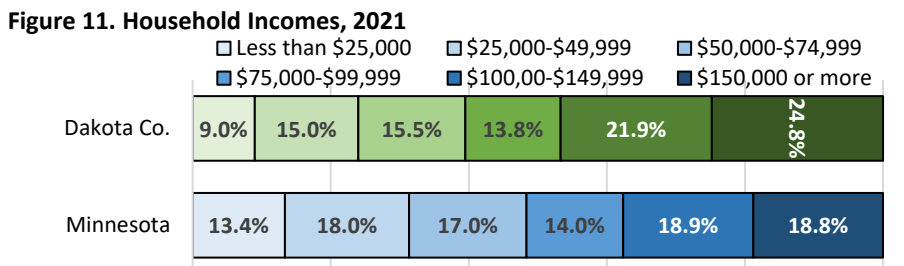
Source: 2017-2021 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING

Dakota Co. had a higher median household income than the state, and a lower percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Dakota Co. had the 5th highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.

Median Household Income	\$93,892
state	\$77,706
Median Family Income	\$114,410
state	\$98,356
Per Capita Income	\$45,112
state	\$41,204

Source: 2017-2021 American Community Survey



The cost of living has increased over the past 2 years with costs up in many areas. Dakota Co. had a higher cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$17.55 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$21.99 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

Table 9. Basic Needs Cost of Living Estimates, 2022

Single Adult, 0 children	Single Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Dakota Co.	\$36,502	\$17.55	\$0	\$356	\$161	\$1,066	\$649	\$389	\$421
State of Minnesota	\$33,708	\$16.21	\$0	\$359	\$157	\$903	\$663	\$345	\$382
Typical Family: 2 Adults (1 working full-time, 1 part-time), 1 child	Family Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Dakota Co.	\$68,599	\$21.99	\$842	\$815	\$575	\$1,348	\$755	\$592	\$790
State of Minnesota	\$60,540	\$19.40	\$579	\$822	\$561	\$1,151	\$772	\$540	\$620

Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Dakota Co. had a higher median house value than the state, having the 5th highest value of the 87 counties in 2021. Dakota Co.'s housing stock was newer than the state's, with a higher percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

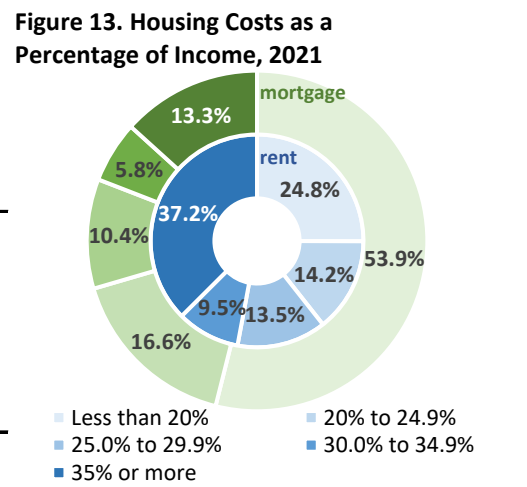
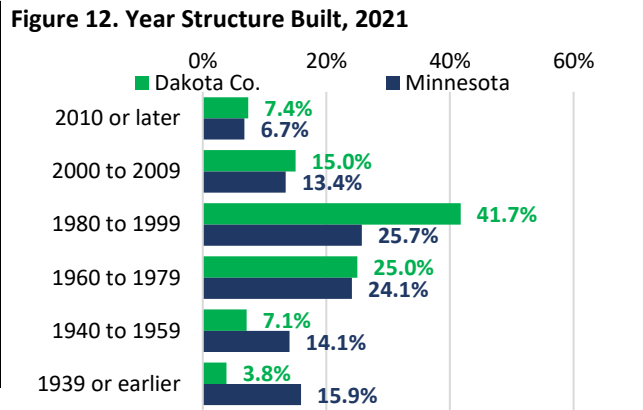
Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-occupied Housing Units, 2021

	Dakota Co.		Minnesota
	Total	Percent	Percent
Total	126,340	100.0%	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	3,373	2.7%	4.3%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,520	2.0%	6.1%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	4,666	3.7%	9.5%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	13,130	10.4%	14.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	41,776	33.1%	28.7%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	48,672	38.5%	26.4%
\$500,000 or more	12,203	9.7%	10.2%
Median (dollars)	\$294,700		\$250,200

Source: 2017-2021 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage	\$1,843
state	\$1,682
Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs	19.1%
state	21.7%
Median monthly rent costs	\$1,293
state	\$1,081
Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent	46.7%
state	45.4%

Source: 2017-2021 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates



OCCUPATIONS

At \$25.67 in 2023, wages were higher in Region 11 than the state. Overall, Region 11 had the highest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$60.18) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$15.29) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, 2023

Occupational Group	Region 11				State of Minnesota		
	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	State-wide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs
Total, All Occupations	\$25.67	1,718,290	100.0%	1.0	\$24.25	2,827,310	100.0%
Management	\$60.18	128,450	7.5%	1.1	\$51.58	193,760	6.9%
Business & Financial Operations	\$39.29	152,020	8.8%	1.2	\$38.19	201,940	7.1%
Computer & Mathematical	\$51.41	78,440	4.6%	1.3	\$49.73	99,250	3.5%
Architecture & Engineering	\$41.64	37,060	2.2%	1.1	\$40.60	53,100	1.9%
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$41.34	19,160	1.1%	1.1	\$39.37	29,070	1.0%
Community & Social Service	\$26.00	30,510	1.8%	0.9	\$25.82	54,820	1.9%
Legal	\$51.41	14,890	0.9%	1.3	\$47.87	18,730	0.7%
Education, Training & Library	\$25.35	89,460	5.2%	0.9	\$24.82	158,830	5.6%
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$30.59	26,520	1.5%	1.2	\$28.80	37,630	1.3%
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$41.91	102,560	6.0%	0.9	\$41.07	186,700	6.6%
Healthcare Support	\$17.27	100,520	5.9%	1.0	\$17.40	162,400	5.7%
Protective Service	\$25.28	23,310	1.4%	0.9	\$25.83	40,620	1.4%
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$15.29	125,670	7.3%	1.0	\$14.89	216,970	7.7%
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$18.54	43,360	2.5%	0.9	\$18.26	76,210	2.7%
Personal Care & Service	\$17.34	36,850	2.1%	1.0	\$16.96	58,120	2.1%
Sales & Related	\$19.61	142,400	8.3%	1.0	\$18.14	239,500	8.5%
Office & Administrative Support	\$23.74	212,320	12.4%	1.0	\$23.06	345,830	12.2%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$19.21	1,090	0.1%	0.4	\$19.84	4,060	0.1%
Construction & Extraction	\$35.05	61,400	3.6%	0.9	\$31.00	113,930	4.0%
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$29.47	51,770	3.0%	0.9	\$27.95	98,670	3.5%
Production	\$22.67	109,650	6.4%	0.9	\$22.07	209,380	7.4%
Transportation & Material Moving	\$21.88	130,880	7.6%	0.9	\$19.80	227,780	8.1%

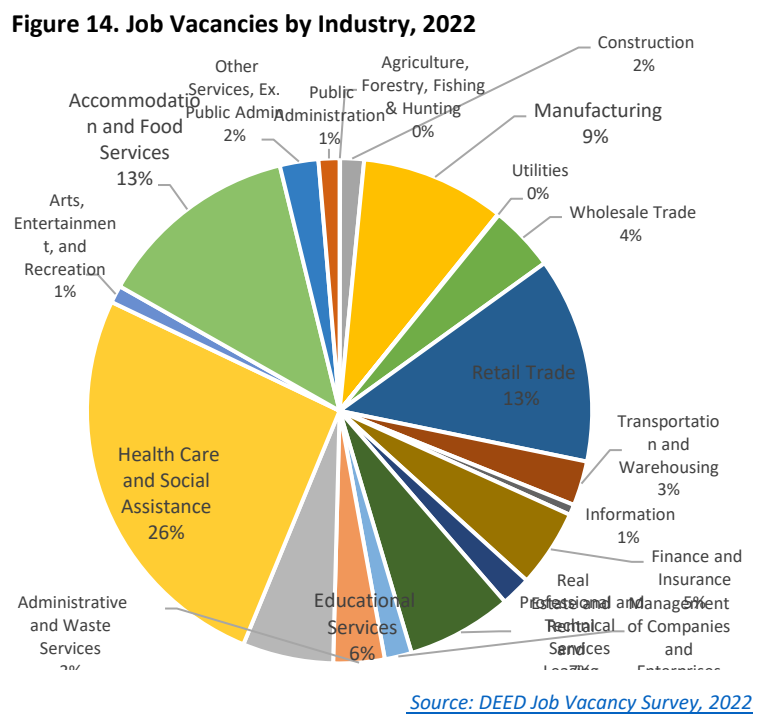
Source: DEED Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, Qtr. 1 2023

JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Dakota Co. is a part of the Twin Cities planning region. There were 98330 job vacancies posted by employers in 2022, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Twin Cities Job Vacancy Survey Results, 2022

Occupational Group	Number of Vacancies	Wage Offer
Total, All Occupations	98,330	\$19.96
Management	4,490	\$43.43
Business & Financial Operations	5,826	\$31.83
Computer & Mathematical	3,821	\$42.59
Architecture & Engineering	2,143	\$35.24
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	824	\$25.82
Community & Social Service	2,982	\$22.23
Education, Training & Library	4,172	\$20.51
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	11,408	\$29.63
Healthcare Support	8,641	\$16.00
Protective Service	939	\$17.46
Food Preparation & Serving Related	11,820	\$16.04
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	3,219	\$16.00
Personal Care & Service	2,319	\$14.98
Sales & Related	11,574	\$15.78
Office & Administrative Support	6,621	\$18.77
Construction & Extraction	1,352	\$20.76
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	3,081	\$19.23
Production	4,689	\$19.98
Transportation & Material Moving	6,509	\$19.73



OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

Table 13. Twin Cities Occupations in Demand, 2022

Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher
Retail Salespersons \$29,563/yr	Nursing Assistants \$40,252/yr	Registered Nurses \$88,275/yr	Software Developers and Software Quality Assurance Analysts and \$109,686/yr
Fast Food and Counter Workers \$27,050/yr	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses \$53,226/yr	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians \$57,392/yr	General and Operations Managers \$116,335/yr
Home Health and Personal Care Aides \$30,550/yr	Machinists \$56,280/yr	Dental Hygienists \$79,288/yr	Project Management Specialists and Business Operations \$75,918/yr
Customer Service Representatives \$43,930/yr	Computer User Support Specialists \$58,065/yr	Paralegals and Legal Assistants \$61,136/yr	Accountants and Auditors \$72,999/yr
Cashiers \$28,148/yr	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics \$49,969/yr	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians \$72,244/yr	Management Analysts \$90,051/yr
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers \$50,220/yr	Medical Assistants \$46,355/yr	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians \$38,974/yr	Computer Systems Analysts \$100,128/yr
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and \$33,643/yr	Electricians \$76,105/yr	Computer Network Support Specialists \$70,174/yr	Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists \$76,791/yr
First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and \$42,227/yr	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists \$29,969/yr	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$59,129/yr	Financial Managers \$136,310/yr
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers \$53,619/yr	Industrial Machinery Mechanics \$63,713/yr	Web Developers and Digital Interface Designers \$81,675/yr	Substance abuse, behavioral disorder, and mental health \$53,558/yr
Stockers and Order Fillers \$32,737/yr	Dental Assistants \$59,028/yr	Surgical Technologists \$65,054/yr	Human Resources Specialists \$69,201/yr

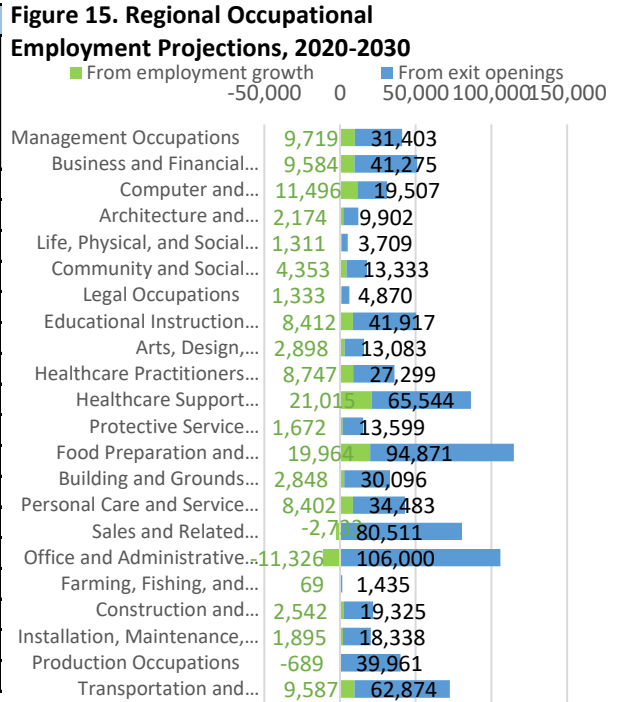
Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

Dakota Co. is a part of the Twin Cities planning region, which is projected to see a 6.2% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

Table 14. Regional Industry Employment Projections, 2020-2030

Twin Cities Planning Region	Estimated Employment 2020	Projected Employment 2030	Percent Change 2020-2030
Total, All Industries	1,817,290	1,930,563	6.2%
Natural Resources & Mining	3,786	3,929	3.8%
Utilities	5,640	4,863	-13.8%
Construction	71,168	74,189	4.2%
Manufacturing	166,580	168,309	1.0%
Wholesale Trade	84,618	85,349	0.9%
Retail Trade	153,655	147,205	-4.2%
Transportation & Warehousing	66,965	71,507	6.8%
Information	31,984	32,510	1.6%
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	156,644	160,769	2.6%
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Companies	208,754	224,297	7.4%
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt.	92,297	99,818	8.1%
Educational Services	137,141	144,455	5.3%
Health Care & Social Assistance	263,959	302,212	14.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	124,778	154,995	24.2%
Other Services	66,176	73,930	11.7%
Public Administration	100,458	101,195	0.7%

Source: DEED 2020-2030 Employment Outlook



ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Coming out of the pandemic recession, after gaining jobs over the past year, Dakota Co. had the 3rd largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Dakota Co. was the 33rd fastest growing in the past year and the 50th fastest growing since 2019. From 2019 to 2022, employment in Dakota Co. is still down from the pandemic recession.

11,467 business establishments

\$67,790 annual average wage

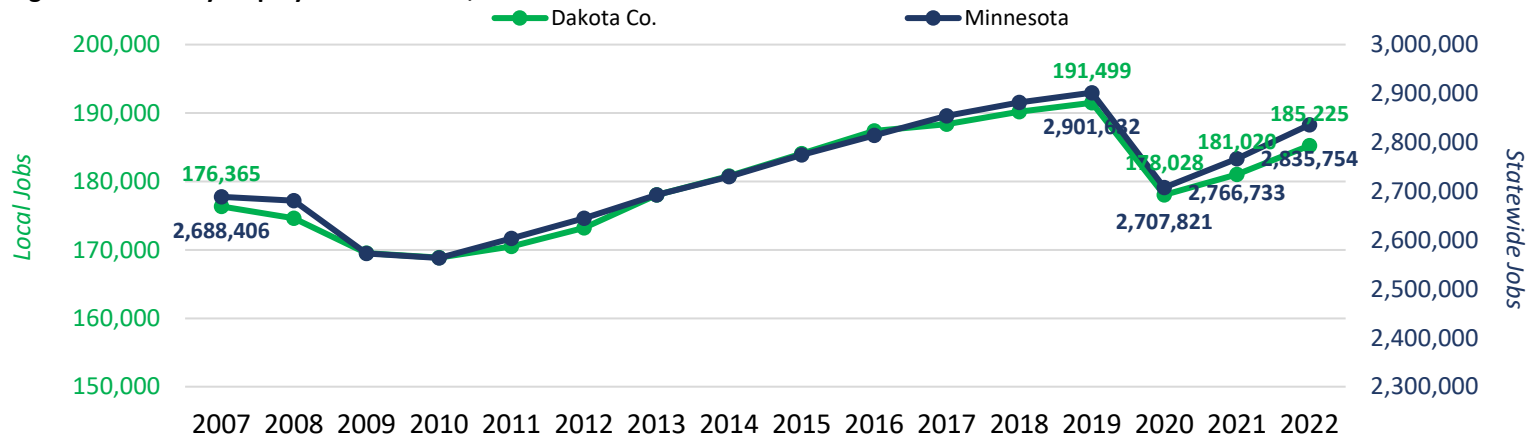
185,225 jobs

\$12,556,315,620 total industry payroll

Job change,
2019-2022

-6,274 jobs
-3.3% decline

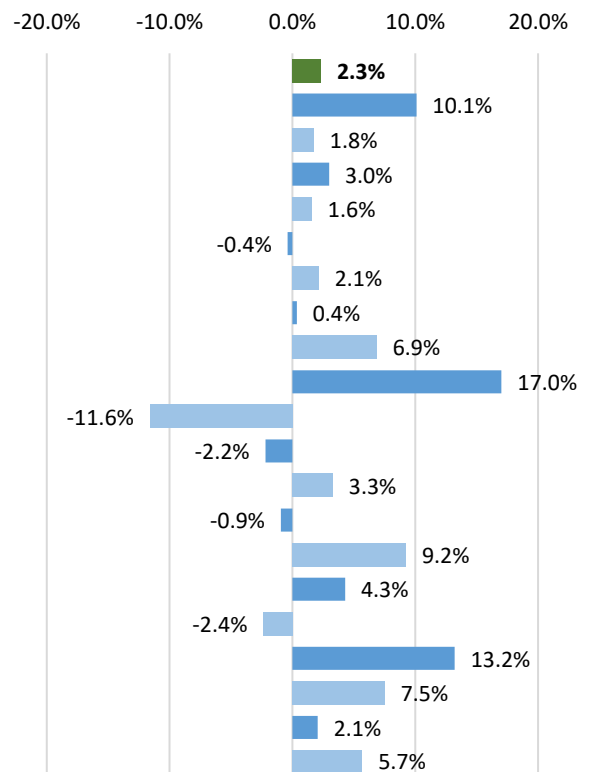
Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2007-2022



Source: DEED QCEW program

Table 15. Dakota Co. Industry Employment Statistics, 2022	Number of Jobs	Percent of Total Jobs	Average Annual Wage
Total, All Industries	185,225	100.0%	\$67,790
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	1,089	0.6%	\$39,388
Mining	116	0.1%	\$104,605
Construction	10,526	5.7%	\$88,606
Manufacturing	19,020	10.3%	\$79,743
Utilities	517	0.3%	\$134,606
Wholesale Trade	8,998	4.9%	\$93,929
Retail Trade	23,548	12.7%	\$38,612
Transportation & Warehousing	14,462	7.8%	\$72,190
Information	5,603	3.0%	\$111,741
Finance & Insurance	10,137	5.5%	\$104,664
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	2,153	1.2%	\$63,132
Professional & Technical Services	8,156	4.4%	\$97,707
Management of Companies	4,447	2.4%	\$140,194
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	8,782	4.7%	\$46,825
Educational Services	13,633	7.4%	\$58,170
Health Care & Social Assistance	23,042	12.4%	\$53,367
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	3,745	2.0%	\$120,786
Accommodation & Food Services	14,610	7.9%	\$24,585
Other Services	6,906	3.7%	\$43,992
Public Administration	5,732	3.1%	\$68,264

Figure 17. Change in Jobs, 2021-2022



Source: DEED Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW)

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